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To: Council Members

From: Doug Marker, Director
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Subject: Presentation by the Pacific Northwest Utilities Conference Committee on the 2007-2009 fish and wildlife project selection process

Representatives of PNUCC will attend to discuss their interest in the Council's project selection process for FY 2007-2009. Shauna McReynolds, PNUCC deputy director, provided the following purpose statement:

PNUCC representatives will join the Council to discuss the Fish and Wildlife Program 2007 – 2009 project selection process. As customers of BPA, PNUCC members provide the majority of funding for the Council's Fish and Wildlife program. It is critical to them that the projects included in the program are grounded in science, are cost-effective and target clear consistent goals. This will be an opportunity for the Council to engage in a conversation with PNUCC members to gain a thorough understanding of their expectations, priorities, and issues for the Council's project selection process.

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